


SPORTSMEN'S GOODS.

BASEBALL.

This is the time of the year when the ballplayer, professional, college and amateur, starts to get ready

for his season's work, and when one thinks of baseball the name of Spalding must be naturally linked with it, for no one has done more to bring the game to its present state of perfection than A. G. Spalding & Bros. For over twenty-five years A. G. Spalding & Bros. have kept ahead of the baseball profession in the way of providing improved paraphernalia for the game.

Baseballs.

The Spalding Official League baseball has been used exclusively by the Na-

century. It's official on account of its merit, and is recognized as such by all players. A. G. Spalding & Brothers have many other balls for the players at prices from five cents to \$1.25, and the player should insist that no matter what amount of money he pays for the ball it should bear the Spalding trade mark. The Spalding ball at the price is better than any other ball at the same price.

The bat that made the hit last season and will make it this season is the A. G. Spalding Autograph Baseball Bat. In quality of material and every other necessary requisite for a first class article, we have

lieve it to be the best
bat ever turned out. The Autograph
stamped on each bat is a guarantee
that every bat has passed a technical
close inspection and is perfect. There
is a certain hang and a certain drive
to the Spalding Autograph bat that
you can't get with other bats. Tape
wound, \$1.00; pitch twine wound
handle, \$1.00; combined handle,
75c.; plain handle, 75c. Other bats
from 5c. to 50c.

Shoes.

There are two lines in competitive sport that the shoe is the all-important article in—i. e., baseball and sprint running. Spalding's sprint running

shoes are known the world over, and the fastest men in the world wear Spalding shoes, and nearly all the important American records were made in a pair of Spalding's sprinting shoes. Charley Kilpatrick, the world's greatest half-mile runner; B. J. Wefers, the world's greatest 220-yard runner; J. W. Long, the greatest quarter-mile runner the world ever saw, and Arthur Duffy, the sprinting marvel of the 20's, all hold their titles in Spalding shoes.

record for 100 yards of 9 3-5 seconds, wear Spalding's shoes. Now, our baseball shoes are built on the same lines. The same care is put into our baseball shoes that we put into our sprinting shoes, and the result is that to-day we are offering to the ballplayer the fastest ball shoe ever made, and that's why so many of them are being used. With a pair of Spalding's highest quality baseball shoes on the player's feet it gives confidence to him. He plays better ball, runs faster and makes a better record for himself. Spalding baseball shoes from \$2 to \$8.

For the Youths.

When you can get a Spalding uniform for \$1.50 don't think of wearing anything else.



Boys, when purchasing your baseball supplies see that the article you purchase has the Spalding trade mark. It is the mark that means the best, and you have the laugh on the boy fellow that is playing with an inferior article.

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